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Comment. the Hq Sixth Gds Army 50X1-HUM in Shaulyai was dissolved in April 1947. 50X1-HUM

Subject report, however, indicates that the movement of the headquarters to Riga was misinterpreted as deactivation. General Krichin is believed to be Colonel General Ivan Tikhonovich Grishin who has been carried as Inspector-General of Ground Forces in Moscow since 1947. He was probably succeeded as CinC Sixth Gds Army in 1947 by Lieutenant General Peter Kirilovich Koshevoi. Major General Pabkov was also identified as CofS Sixth Gds Army in 1947. From the present report it can be assumed that the Sixth Cds Army occupies the northern portion of the Baltic MD.

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